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In re U.S. Patent Application of)
AIKI et al.) Unit 2841
Application Number: 10/022,732) Examiner
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For: SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICE)
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**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

COVER LETTER

Sir:

[x] The fee for submission of claims is calculated as shown below:

FOR	TOTAL WITH NEW CLAIMS ADDED	TOTAL CURRENTLY ON FILE	CLAIMS PAID	RATE	CALCULATION
Total Claims	22	20	² (Over 20)	x \$50	100.00
Independent Claims	3	3	(Over 3)	x \$200	0
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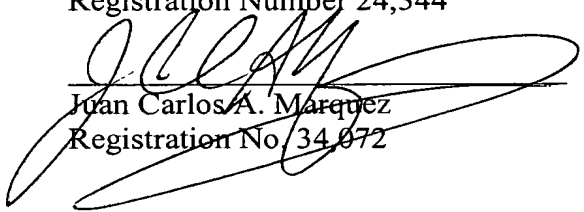
In addition, the below-identified communications are submitted in the above-captioned application or proceeding:

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| [x] Response to Office Action
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| [] Preliminary Amendment | [] Letter to Draftsperson w/ pages of drawings |
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